Abstract

Method for the production of an optical transmission element comprising a filled chamber element and optical transmission element

The invention relates to a method for the production of an optical transmission element (BA) comprising at least one optical waveguide (LW) and comprising a chamber element (AH) surrounding the optical waveguide and enclosing an internal space. A foamed filler composition (FM) is applied discontinuously to the optical waveguide (LW) and the optical waveguide (LW) subsequently supplied to an extruder (EX), latter forming a chamber element (AH) around the filler optical wavequide. The composition (FM) stabilizes within the chamber element (AH) formed and, in the final state, forms a plurality of dry compressible filler elements (FE, FE1 to FE4), surrounding the optical waveguide. A dry and readily manipulable optical transmission element is present. A discharge of filler composition and an escape of the optical waveguides from the transmission element are prevented.

Figure 1